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A.G.S. is a non-profit organization chartered by the State of Texas & dedicated to creating and maintaining a society for the study of genealogical history and records & depositing & preserving such records in libraries & archives for the benefit of historians & genealogists. Meetings are scheduled for the fourth Tuesday of each month or as set by the Board of Directors.

The November meeting is at 7:30 pm, Tuesday, 27 Nov. 1962 in the downstairs auditorium of the Austin Public Library, 9th & Guadalupe. We heard talk of asking a gentleman to speak on GHOST TOWNS, but rumor persists that he just disappeared! AGS does have to elect our 20 new Board members this month, but the program is still a deep, dark secret. Anyway, it's all in the family.

Nominees for AGS Board of Directors announced at our Sept. meeting were:

1 year: Mrs. C. W. Balch, Mrs. Wm. T. -on, Mrs. Lewis H. Carstarphen, Miss Miriam Dozier, Mrs. Herbert R. Gentry, Miss Miriam Dozier, Mrs. Wm. T. -on, Mrs. Lewis H. Carstarphen, Miss Miriam Dozier, Mrs. Herbert R. Gentry, Mrs. David C. Gracy, Mrs. DeWitt C. Nogues, Mrs. Helen H. Rugeley, Mrs. Claude B. Tate, Mrs. Charles A. Walker.


Mr. P. C. Wilson, Jr. of Galveston has given AGS a booklet, HISTORY OF THE GEORGE WASHINGTON BOWMAN & FISER FAMILIES OF MOOREVILLE, FALLS CO., TEXAS, compiled by Leila Bowman A. Page & edited & published by Mr. Wilson.

Mr. C. Leon Walker of Collins, Miss. has sent over 60 pages of data on WALKERS OF TOAPING CASTLE, MARYLAND & descendants, for AGS to file & offer to Texas Archives for copying. Walker Co, Texas is named for a descendant.

DeWitt C. Nogues obtained & gave to AGS a fine, antique addressograph which we hope to use on next year's mailings.

The rest of the St. David's Episcopal Church records being prepared by our Mrs. David C. Gracy are to be printed in May & Sept, 1963 AGS quarterlies.

Texas State Genealogical Society is holding its Annual Meeting 23-24 Nov. 1962 at Baker Hotel, Dallas, Texas. Friday Registration ($1.00) at 8 am. Exhibits 8 am to 11 pm. Fred R. Cotten, Pres. of Texas State Hist. Assn. speaks on TSHA at Friday's Luncheon ($2.75). Banquet (honoring Dr. Winfrey) features James M. Day, "The Citizens of the Republic of Texas" ($3.75). Saturday Registration at 8 am. Exhibits 8 am to 4 pm. 3 afternoon Workshops as described in our Sept. issue. Luncheon ($2.75) with speaker John Plath Ween, "The Advantages & Disadvantages of a Society's Cooperating with a Public Library". A 2:30 tour of DeGolyer Rare Book Room at SMU ends the conference. Mrs. Opal Bricker, 5807 Vanderbilt, Dallas 6, Texas; Telephone Taylor 6-4052, was handling ticket sales --$10.25 for both days. Members arrange their own hotel reservations.

THE AUSTIN-STATESMAN printed 2 articles 25-26 Oct 1962--FAMILY TREE STUDY CALLED "GRANDAD ON-THE-BRAIN" (AP, New York) & 20TH CENTURY GALAHADS DIGGING TO DISCOVER THE FAMILY'S CREST (UPI, Los Angeles). We hope to have samples at Nov. meeting. 13 Nov 1962, Carol McMurtry had a front-page article GATHERING OF THE CLANS COLORFUL ONE (Salado, Tex., Sun., 11th). About 1,000 people attended this 2nd Gathering. Now is the right time to drop a note to Dick Brown at the STATESMAN about these articles & our desire for a regular genealogical column.

In the UT Main Library, Humanities Reference Room (East Room), Cases 7, 8, 9 & 10 are volume indices, a Catalogue of printed cards in the Library of Congress. Beginning in 1953, it is called the National Union Catalogue & includes not only the listings of the Library of Congress but the listings sent in to the Library of Congress from other libraries. (A "Thank you" to Mrs. H. R. Gentry).

Texas Highway Dept, Motor Vehicle Division at Jackson & West 40th Street, Austin (P. O. Box 5051, West Austin Station), sells county maps at 35¢ a sheet (about 18 x 25 in, on a scale of 1 in. to 2 mi.). Travis Co. is one sheet; W'mson Co. & Burnet Co. are 2 sheets, etc. Black & white, these show towns, creeks, highways & other landmarks by name & location of cemeteries, roads, railroads, airfields, & buildings. AGS could add a few cemeteries, but most are shown.

Expected Dec, 1962, publication of TEXAS WOMEN OF DISTINCTION, edited by member Mrs. Ina McAdams, 1425 Preston Ave, Austin 3, Tex. Deadline for pre-publication orders ($15) was 15 Nov. About 450 pp, about 1000 biographies of contemporary women--giving occupations, memberships, children, grandchildren, 2 lineages to immigrant ancestors to U. S. (if known) & mention of other lineages.

Geological Survey, Federal Center, Denver, Colorado will send on request a free Index to Topographic Mapping of your chosen state--gives U. S. Geological Survey quadrangle sheets available & price. The Austin office at 807 Brazos, Room 209, says topographical maps cost about 30¢ a sheet; Austin has an index & price list but no maps for sale. Paul C. Wilson, Jr. of Galveston says maps are 1/24,000 or 1/25,000 in scale & show some detail--might help in locating cemeteries, etc. They show rivers, hills, landmarks, highways, schools, churches, towns & some cemeteries. AGS members can help by searching & identifying these by name.

Travis Co. Collection, Austin Public Library, has a set, ABSTRACTS OF LAND TITLES OF TEXAS, chronological by volumes & somewhat alphabetized by counties.

SOUTHWESTERN HISTORICAL QUARTERLY, Oct, 1962, has articles on "Foreigners in the Principal Towns of Ante-Bellum Texas" and "Texas Bounty Land Grants, 1835-1888". See copies at Austin Public Library, Barker or Texas Archives--or join T.S.H.A. Lists & descriptions of Texas State Archives' Map Collection ran in 1962 issues.
New Mexico Gene. Soc. is 2 years old & planned their first bulletin this fall 1962, according to Sec-Treas, Mrs. Carl J. Nissen, 629 Alvarado Dr, SE, Albuquerque, New Mexico. AGS sent them our Apr, 1962 issue.

Mrs. Sterling Robertson of Salado reported a genealogical study group there. Lufkin Gene. Society was organized 13 Sept. 1962 by Mrs. Carl Garner. An "Ancestry Researcher's Club" formed in Anahuac. President is Mrs. Jack V. Silva, Box 157, Anahuac, Texas. Genealogy is really growing in Texas.

East Tenn. Hist. Society, Lawson McGhee Library, Knoxville, Tenn. lists in Oct, 1962 ECHOES the contents of 34 issues of their annual PUBLICATIONS volume. AGS members with East Tenn. ancestors should be interested. See AGS May '62 issue, page 107, for further details. AGS exchanges with ECHOES.

S. P. Shepard, Corr. Sec. of Colorado Gene. Soc., 3386 W. 34th Ave., Denver 11, Colorado, reported, "We have a complete card file of all those names which have appeared in our periodical. Married women are filed under both married & maiden names whenever possible. We would be most happy to check out any names you would care to send." This service is for both non-members & members. They also publish queries from non-members "as space permits". Remember--a stamped, self-addressed envelope should be sent with ALL requests for information.


Fall, 1962, GENEALOGICAL NEWSLETTER lists "Newly Published Family Histories."

Birmingham Gene. Soc., 4320 Sixth Ave., South Birmingham, Ala. publishes a quarterly called PIONEERS.

Genealogical Book Co., 521-23 St. Paul Place, Baltimore 2, Md., sent Catalogue #202 this summer, on FAMILY HISTORIES. Catalogue #203 is BRITISH LOCAL HISTORY & GENEALOGICAL RECORDS. Abstracts, indices, parish registers, inventories, histories, etc. are indexed by English counties & Ireland, Scotland & Wales. The Heraldry, Peerage, Surnames, etc. section is separate.

Want to know where to write for vital statistics? Order booklets from U. S. Govt. Printing Office, Division of Public Documents, Washington 25, D.C.:
- Divorce Records, No. FS 2.102.D64 - 10¢.

The Oct, 1962 issue of OUR HERITAGE, publ. by San Antonio Gene. & Hist. Society, has more Navarro Co. marriage records (1846-57) by Mrs. Suzanne Callhoun George; & Mrs. Estha Hole Scoggins is continuing the Index to Probate Cases of Wimson Co. (1848-1900) & added tombstones of Easley Cemetery. Both are AGS members.

In case you wonder if there really are many genealogists in this country, the GENEALOGICAL HELPER published by Everton in Logan, Utah, mailed about 8,500 issues of their June '62 to paid subscribers & printed 10,000 of their Sept. '62 Exchange Edition of 228 pages--almost all queries. Until you have checked the GH each fall for cousins, you haven't done half of your searching during a year. Genealogists are listed by name, under surnames & in county & state. You might locate someone in that little town of 1,000 your people moved away from away-back-younder. At least borrow a copy; you need not buy one!
INSTRUCTIONS

1. FILL OUT THIS FORM AS FULLY AS YOU CAN. You may not have all the information called for by the form, but since we often have files for several veterans of the same name, the more information you are able to give the greater will be the likelihood of a successful search in our records.

2. Use a separate form for each veteran.

3. Enclose one dollar, preferably a money order or check payable to GENERAL SERVICES ADMINISTRATION.

4. Mail completed form with remittance to:
   General Services Administration
   National Archives and Records Service
   The National Archives Building
   Washington 25, D. C.

IDENTIFICATION OF VETERAN

1. NAME OF VETERAN (Full name, last name first)
2. NAME OF STATE FROM WHICH HE SERVED

3. WAR IN WHICH OR DATES BETWEEN WHICH HE SERVED

4. BRANCH IN WHICH HE SERVED
   □ INFANTRY □ CAVALRY □ ARTILLERY
   □ OTHER (Specify)

5. UNIT IN WHICH HE SERVED (Name of regiment or number, company, etc.)

6. KIND OF SERVICE (Check)
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   □ REGULARS □ CONFEDERATE

7. IF SERVICE WAS CIVIL WAR (Check)

NOTE - If you checked "Confederate" in item 7, you need NOT fill in the following items:

8. VETERAN'S PLACE OF BIRTH
9. DATE OF BIRTH

10. VETERAN'S PLACE OF DEATH
11. DATE OF DEATH

12. FILE NUMBER OF PENSION OR BOUNTY LAND RECORD

13. PLACE(S) WHERE HE LIVED AFTER SERVICE

14. IF VETERAN LIVED IN A HOME FOR SOLDIERS, ENTER LOCATION (City and State)

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1852  BONNER, Ervin F. (M.Bk-Ewen)  Sarah A. BAKER    1-128
1853  BONNAR, James W.  Martha E. BAKER    1-153
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1860  BOAFU)WXN, Geo. T. (M.Bk-Dr.)  Fannie DISMUJES (M.Bk-DESMUJES)    2-95
1861  BOWAR, James W. (M.Bk-Samuel S.)  (Miss) Laura J. MCKINNEY    2-69
1864  BHEJ, Joseph      E. Virginia SAWYER    2-160
1866  BLACK, Aaron      Jane PELLIAM    2-269
1867  BLUNT, A. (M.Bk-R.)  M. WATROUS    2-217
1868  BONNER, Samuel T.  Mrs. M. C. DAVIS    2-271
1869  BLACK, Thomas     Emily WELLS (M.Bk-Emile)    2-475
1870  BLOMSKY, Anton (M.Bk-Antrn?)  Emily BOHLS    2-416
1871  BONNER, (Mr.) George  Virginia BLACK    2-399
1872  BLUMENTRITT, M. Louis  Caroline BASTIAN    3-101
1873  BLACKMOOR, Thomas  Rebecca WILLIAMS    3-177
1874  BLACK, George     Marie SHEAKE (M.Bk-SHEAKS)    3-258
1875  BONNER, D. D. (Miss)  Emma V. JOHNSON    4-21
1876  BLUNT, Roger      Frances COLE    3-263
1877  BOISNTER, Julius  Mary O. (M.Bk-Olivia) ROSEGREN    4-110
1878  BLACKBURN, W. A.  Anna G. TOWNSEND    4-297
1879  BONHAM, William   Mary (M.Bk-WIEBROCK)    4-251
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1888  BONNET, H. D.     Louise SCHUTZE    5-46
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Following these names come BAS-- names on page 19. The applications on file at Archives are sometimes difficult to study & usually consist of several papers. If a person cannot go to the Archives to search, it might prove very expensive to have all papers reproduced for study. In some cases, it would be easier & less expensive to hire a genealogist to examine the applications needed or desired to see if there is anything which would be useful. Because of the laws which were passed from time to time in Texas, the various applications are not alike in the material filed or the blanks filled. It should be mentioned that there are also books & files on rejected applications. Some of the Index Books are on WIDOWS. Copying the indices will take quite a long time.
Pedigree Chart No....1....

1. Marvel Jean Snow Halden
   b. place of birth
   m. marriage date
   d. death date

2. Harriet Cleo Snow
   b. 12 Feb. 1890, Round Rock, Tex.
   m. Wimson Co., Tex.
   d. place of death

3. Charles Alborn Walker
   (husband of wife No. 3)
   b. place
   m. marriage date
   d. death date

4. George Halden
   (Father of No. 1)
   b. 17 Feb. 1858, Co., Warwick,
   m. 3 June 1879, Austin, Tex.
   d. 14 Dec. 1905, Georgetown,

5. Mary Katherine Fritz
   (Mother of No. 2)
   b. 4 Jan. 1897, Gillespie Co., Tex.
   p.b. Fredericksburg, Tex.
   d. 22 Jan. 1940, Austin,
   p.d. Travis Co., Tex.

6. Claude Somerville Snow
   (Father of No. 3)
   b. 7 July 1856, near Austin,
   m. 9 Nov. 1879, Round Rock,
   d. 1 Nov. 1923, near Lyford,

7. Mattie Lee Yancey
   (Mother of No. 3)
   b. 29 Aug. 1863, Texana, (P.O.)
   d. 3 May 1953, Dallas Co., Tex.

8. John Halden
   (Father of No. 4)
   b. place
   p.b. England
   m. 1895, Boston,
   d. 1895, Boston,

9. George Egbert Halden
   (Father of No. 17)
   b. 16 Sept. 1894, Georgetown,
   p.b. Wimson Co., Tex.
   m. 12 June 1918, Georgetown
   d. place

10. Mary Katherine Fritz
    (Mother of No. 2)
    b. ca. 1856,
    p.b. Nassau, Germany
    m. 1886, Gillespie Co., Tex.
    d. 22 Jan. 1940, Austin,
    p.d. Travis Co., Tex.

11. Johann (John) Fritz
    (Father of No. 5)
    b. ca. 1825,
    p.b. Nassau, Germany
    m. 1849,
    d. 1849,
    p.d. Nassau, Germany
    d. 1849,
    p.d. Fredericksburg, Tex.

12. Charles Albert West Snow
    (Father of No. 6)
    b. 20 Aug. 1825
    m. 23 Nov. 1847, Providence, R.I.
    d. 25 Jan. 1910, Bertram,

13. William Thomas Yancey
    (Father of No. 15)
    b. 4 Feb. 1830, Oxford,
    p.b. Granville Co., N.C.
    m. 1 Jun. 1857, Memphis, Tenn.
    d. 27 Dec. 1943, Houston,

14. Mary Elizabeth DeWitt
    (Mother of No. 7)
    b. 15 June 1839, Holmes Springs
    d. 5 Dec. 1921, Georgetown

15. John Halden
    (Father of No. 8)
    b. place
    p.b. England
    m. 1895, Boston,
    d. 1895, Boston,

16. Sarah Ginnillitts Harrison
    (Mother of No. 12)
    b. 1856,
    p.b. 1856,
    m. 1886,
    p.d. 1886

17. Henry Smith
    (Father of No. 13)
    b. 1792,
    p.b. 1812,
    m. 1812,

18. Eliza Evers
    (Mother of No. 13)
    b. 1790,
    p.d. 1859

19. Robert W. Yancey
    (Father of No. 14)
    b. Co., 1864,
    p.d. 1864,
    m. 1870,
    p.d. 1870

20. Matilda W. Puckett
    (Mother of No. 14)
    b. 1870,
    p.d. 1870

21. Washington John DeWitt
    (Father of No. 15)
    b. 1794,
    p.b. 1852,
    m. 1852,
    p.d. 1852

22. Mary Eliza Bearden
    (Mother of No. 15)
    b. 1852,
    p.d. 1852

23. Eliza Evers
    (Mother of No. 13)
    b. 1790,
On page 153 is a sample pedigree chart showing 1962 paid members how to file your ancestors for publication in our first 1963 AGS quarterly. This chart was filed in 1961 & amended in 1962; the listings can be seen in Apr, 1961 & 1962 issues. 1963 listings will look like 1962 listings. Where #1 on the chart is a member, no dates & details on #1 & spouse are needed; we won't print them unless a member wishes it. In filling out charts, see 1962 listings for examples of abbreviations & forms. Use no date, name or place you cannot prove. Mark guesses with a question mark & probabilities & possibilities with "prob" & "poss". Write estimates with "ca" (about) or "pre 1810" or "post 1730" or "1850-60" or "1686/7". Death dates are often indicated by "will 1733-37" or "bur. 1825". When birthdates are unavailable, christening dates are often used. Women are filed under their maiden name, when known. See on pp. 40-41 the various blanks where a given name was unknown. On page 41 H-5 is a widow, _____ GREY, listed as marrying Wm. POLK. See page 36 M-2 listing & page 39 M-2 for examples of an unproved but suspected given name or surname. Other wives & husbands may be listed & marked as 1st, 2nd, etc. On page 40 is a W-1 PELOT listing showing blanks for a wife whose death was recorded but not her name. Always give what little is known, but do not write a lengthy description or travelogue not suitable for these listings.

We very definitely prefer that members file a chart instead of cards. It is far easier for the Staff to type listing cards for ancestors from a chart & double-check & proof-read. Those filing a 2nd or 3rd chart (old 1960 & 1961 members) should begin with an ancestor from a chart already filed. Cards (3 x 5) used in early 1962 looked like this:

Yancey, Mattie Lee
parents - William Thomas Yancey & Mary Louise DeWitt
born - 29 Aug 1863
place - Texana (P.O.), Jackson Co, Tex.
married - 9 Nov 1879
place - Round Rock, W'mson Co, Tex.
died - 3 Mch 1953
place - University Park, Dallas Co, Tex.
spouse - Claude Somerville Snow (b. 1856 Mo.)
child - Harriet Cleo Snow (b. 1890 Tex.)

Mrs. Chas. A. Walker.

There are 5 ancestors on the above card; for each of these not previously filed, a separate card should be filed with data enough for a listing. File cards only if you cannot fill more than 10-15 numbers on a chart. Not more than 30 new ancestors may be filed for one membership. Additions & corrections to data in listings of Apr, 1961 or 1962 do not count among the 30 names allowed. We will not reprint a 1961-62 listing without added data. If a member seeks more data on an ancestor already filed (or anyone not an ancestor), we recommend that a query be filed for publication. Plenty of 1961 & 1962 quarterlies are now in circulation, & we still have some for sale, so repeated listings serve little purpose. They would merely increase the size & cost of our big April quarterlies. Also, if we try to get all our ancestors printed in one year, we over-burden the AGS budget for that year, especially with the rising cost of postage.
Located twelve miles northwest of Austin, Travis Co, Tex, about four miles north of Balcones Research Center, on Farm Road 1525. Listings are not alphabetized since they show pretty well adjacent burials in this cemetery. Copied by Mrs. Ralph A. Bickler, Miss Annie M. Smith & Miss Miriam Dozier of Austin, Texas.

KING, Lura Smith, 1867-1956.
SMITH, James Martin, 1861-1894.
HOWARD, Mary Smith, 1865-1939.
HOWARD, Robert J., 1870-1934.
CLINKSCALES, James Asa, 1880-1902.
PARKER, Gladys, daughter of C. L. & I. L. PARKER, born 1 Dec 1908; died 31 July 1910.
PARKER, Loma, daughter of C. L. & I. L. PARKER, born 19 Sept 1900; died 27 May 1901.
WOODWARD, Ida W., born 1 Dec 1886; died 25 Sept 1887.
WOODWARD, Jane, born 13 Feb 1814; died June 17, 1878.
WOODWARD, L. S., born 17 May 1813; died 10 Nov 1891.
PARKER, Rachel, wife of D. W. PARKER, born 4 May 1841; died 6 Dec 1917.
PARKER, (Father), D. W., "At Rest." Born 30 August 1841; died 19 Feb 1922.
R. B., no dates - probably a foot-stone.
GLENN, A. J., born Feb 21, 1833; died May 27, 1867.
LAND, A., born Apr 1, 1824; died Oct 7, 1854.
MERRELL, Nelson, died Nov 19, 1959; aged 90 yrs., 11 mos., 5 das.
MERRELL, William, born March 26, 1871; died August 1, 1959.
FENNINGTON, S. D., Husband of M. J. FENNINGTON; born Sept 18, 1819; died Apr 12, 1886.
E. P. - no other information.
M. P. - no other information.
THORP, E. S. (Mother); born June 16, 1824; died Sept 3, 1915.
THORP, E. V. (Skete), born Jan 3, 1885; died July 4, 1946.
THORP, Charles W., born Feb 18, 1851; died Dec 8, 1899.
THORP, Zena S., born Nov 26, 1851; died Aug 3, 1931.
G. W. S. - no other information.
SMITH, Mrs. S. Letitia, born Nov 10, 1884; died Apr 2, 1922.
SMITH, E. W., born Sept 16, 1830; died Dec 24, 1888. Age 58 yrs., 3 mos., 8 days.
BROCKMAN, John, 1861-1943.
BROCKMAN, Emma, 1874-____ (Recent burial; date not yet on stone at the time).
TAYLOR, Infant of Mr. & Mrs. C. P., born & died 7 Jan 1918.
A. C. - no other information.
DAUGHERTY, Edna E., wife of D. H. DAUGHERTY, born Apr 7, 1873; died July 28, 1901. ("Hope" "Mother" "How many hopes he buried here.")
BROCK, Little Henry, son of J. H. and M. J. BROCK, died Oct 4, 1897, Age 2 yrs., 8 mos.
BROCK, Julia Ann, 1837-1921.
J. M. - no other information.
WYLIE, Baby Ethel, born 1 Oct 1910; died 1 Oct 1910.
WYLIE, Daddy W. W., Oct 23, 1852.
MOORE, Johnnie, Son of J. R. & M. J. MOORE, born Feb 8, 1905; died May 25, 1909.
WEBER, Robert E., born June 12, 1840; died May 25, 1902.
HARRIS, Beatrice, daughter of E. W. & I. D. HARRIS, born 6 Apr 1910; died 27 Apr 1911. "Our Darling".
STRAMLER, E. H., born June 6, 1860; died May 10, 1924.
MERRILLTOWN CEMETERY TOMBSTONES

STRAMLER, Nan J., 1868-1951.
RAVANELLI, Annie. No dates.
RAVANELLI, C., Jr., born Feb 8, 1913; died Nov 20, 1913.
GRAVES, William J., Nov 18, 1853; July 2, 1917. "Remembered by All."
GRAVES, Edna, wife of W. J. GRAVES, born July 21, 1864; died Jan 24, 1905.
HARMON, J. F., 1822-1879.
ROGERS, Mrs. Octavo, born July 1, 1851; died Nov 20, 1894.
KING, T., Nov 5, 1875.
KING, Mollie W., Born March 6, 1885; died April 24, 1912.
KING, Jessie Louis, born Feb 3, 1891; died Mar 25, 1917.
CRISE, Sarah C., August 17, 1856.
KING, Ida C., born Nov 16, 1863; died Dec 7, 1939.
MERRELL, Julia, born March 9, 1850; died July 26, 1852.
MERRELL, Capt. Nelson, born Oct 6, 1810; died Jan 11, 1875.
WOMACK, Frances J., born Jan 11, 1855; died Aug 3, 1890.
KILLEN, L. J., born & died Apr 19, 1946.
WOMACK, Martha, born Oct 5, 1817; died Mar 9, 1895.
WOMACK, J. W., born Nov 27, 1813; died May 27, 1880.
Mary, wife of J. A. KILLEN, born Mar 1, 1839; died Jan 17, 1885.
KILLEN, J. A., born July 16, 1844; died Dec 19, 1911.
Austin Albert, born July 25, 1885; died Oct 24, 1887. Son of J. V. & M. E. TUEY.
TUEY, Clarence Dell, born June 30, 1888; died Nov 2, 1888.
SHOULTS, Andrew J., 1842-1929.
SMITH, Leta A., born July 22, 1889; died Dec 24, 1889.
SMITH, William Ira, born Jan 16, 1891; died May 9, 1891.
SMITH, Rubie Lee, born Sept 9, 1897; died Mar 25, 1898.
COLLIER, Elizabeth H., born Jan 11, 1823; died Feb 20, 1901.
COLLIER, John A., born Oct 31, 1858; died July 26, 1886.
PARKER, Emma E., wife of S. E. PARKER, born Feb 9, 1882; died Mar 4, 1905.
COLLIER, G. M.; born Dec 24, 1849; died Sept 6, 1909.
COLLIER, S. E., born Oct 17, 1853; died Mar 4, 1910.
PEARSON, Ethel, born Dec 1, 1893; died July 30, 1895.
PEARSON, Robert, born Mar 20, 1892; died Mar 26, 1892.
WARD, Adeline E., born Oct 26, 1883; died Jan 6, 1884.
WARD, Nancy O., born Dec 23, 1870; died Dec 17, 1884.
STEPHENS, Emmett O., born Aug 9, 1884; died Aug 13, 1884.
DEAN, Nancy A., born Apr 5, 1882; died Aug 29, 1883.
WARD, Phoebe, wife of Hiram WARD, born Oct 14, 1843; died July 23, 1920.
WARD, Hiram, born Mar 16, 1880; died Apr 5, 1909.
LYNCH, Mrs. Ellen, born Dec 28, 1891; died Sept 6, 1927.
CARTER, Mrs. A. J., born July 31, 1838; died Oct 14, 1909.
CARTER, Andrew Jr, died Feb 7, 1889. Aged 50 yrs.
CARTER, Charlie, born Apr 27, 1877; died Jan 1, 1907.
STAMP, A. T., born July 8, 1862; died March 24, 1952.
KEMP, T. C., born Nov 2, 1905; died July 24, 1905.
SHULTS, B. T., born Aug 19, 1890; died June 6, 1991.
GARNER, James P., born Aug 8, 1873; died July 6, 1893.
GARNER, Arch B., born Sept 18, 1848; died July 3, 1894.
GARNER, Francis, born Feb 22, 1849; died Feb 14, 1922.
WILSON, Nora G., born July 6, 1876; died June 5, 1954.
LYNCH, Leona, born Feb 22, 1918; died Aug 9, 1930.
MOORE, Mrs. Blanche, born Aug 6, 1912; died Mar 16, 1929.
KEMP, Louis Cass, born Feb 12, 1839; died Sept 18, 1950.
KEMP, Annie A., wife of L. C. KEMP, born Dec 25, 1865; died Aug 12, 1900.
WEBER, August, 1838-1920. His wife, Caroline, 1846-1904.
Our Brother, Abigah G. KEMP, born Mar 14, 1851; died June 2, 1897.
KEMP, Nancy, born Mov 15, 1807; died Sept 17, 1892.
KEMP, William B. (In Memory Of), born Apr 12, 1870; died March 18, 1886.
KEMP, J. B. (To the Memory of), born April 18, 1833; died Dec 27, 1881. Aged 48 yrs., 8 ms., and 19 ds.
KEMP, E. S., wife of J. B. KEMP, born Jan 14, 1833; died Dec 15, 1918.
ASH, James Guy, born May 19, 1879; died May 14, 1880. Happy Infant—Early blest. E. S. — no dates.
SMITH, J. P. — No dates. (sic)
RUSK, Lillie. 1829.
Daisy, daughter of L. C. & A. A. KEMP, born Sept 5, 1890; died Feb 24, 1892.
Sadie U. , Daughter of John & Josephine SNOW, born June 24, 1876; died Feb 21, 1882.
BAINES, Mother, Laura Dillingham, born Sept 14, 1854; died Aug 17, 1945.
Little Pearce, In Memory of L. P. DILLINGHAM.
DILLINGHAM, Mother, Sarah Margaret, 1836-1912.
DILLINGHAM, Leila Pearl, born Dec 11, 1870; died Jan 8, 1886; 17 yrs. & 29 d’s.
DILLINGHAM; Our Father, Erice, born Mar 4, 1831; died June 2, 1886. Aged 55 yrs, 3 mos., & 16 days.
DILLINGHAM, Father, John DILLINGHAM, born Mar 22, 1832; died May 14, 1917.
" Mother, Lucy E. DILLINGHAM, born Jan 16, 1838; died Oct 4, 1926.
HENNIG, Charles Louie, born Sept 9, 1864; died Jan 19, 1959. (sic)
E. N. H. — no more.
HENNIG, Launce, born Sept 17, 1899; died Nov 10, 1901. "Gone to be an Angel".
Lula M., daughter of C.L. & L.L. HENNIG, born June 19, 1891; died Mar 11, 1892.
Our darling, Edgar H., son of G. L. & I. L. HENNIG, born Oct 1, 1888; died June 5, 1889. (sic)
Vera Viola, Infant daughter of T. L. & Z. J. CHAMBERS, born Feb 14, 1892; died Mar 10, 1893.
In Memory of Groves Baxter, son of T. L. & Z. J. CHAMBERS, born Jan 7, 1894; died June 20, 1902.
ZIMMERMAN, J. F., born Feb 21, 1846; died Oct 6, 1893.
BULLEN, James H., born Aug 18, 1873; died Nov 11, 1900.
DEAN, Sallie E., born Feb 20, 1870; died Sept 4, 1896.
DEAN, Sidney S., Husband of Sallie E. DEAN, born Feb 2, 1860; died Apr 27, 1893.
CAHILL, Henry, 1900-1956.
CAHILL, Father, John Daniel, July 22, 1852; Jan 15, 1938.
CAHILL, Mother, Camby Smith, June 18, 1862; Apr 16, 1939.
CAHILL, Mike J., born Oct 8, 1883; died Sept 17, 1917.
Ellen, Infant daughter of Mrs. J. D. CAHILL, died Aug 17, 1895.
TEXAS PROBATE RECORDS--TRAVIS COUNTY (Filed 1882-1885)

Abstracted at Travis County Courthouse, Austin, Texas, by the late Mrs. Paralee Parrish & Mrs. G. A. Welsch of Austin. Seventh in series. Wills dated 1866-1885.


Will of JOSEPHINE P. MOORE, 2/2/1883. Folio 974. Filed 4/18/1884.


- AUTHENTICATED CORRECTIONS WELCOME -
This poem is an extract from a most unusual genealogy owned by Brig. Gen Dean F. Winn of Austin. "Written for Mrs. E.S.L. Jones, with the love of her Granddaughter, Bessie Anderson, Cuthbert, Randolph Co, Ga. July, 1869." Mrs. E.S.L. Jones is said to be buried in unmarked grave in Cuthbert, Ga. She had 14 children.

"Grandmother's Drawer"

"Grandmother," I said, on a bright sunny day,
As I brushed all the specks, all the dark spots away,
From an ancient drawer against the wall that stood,
Old fashioned and large, of mahogany wood.
"This drawer, dear Grandmother, so bright and so old,
Throw open today and its secrets unfold."

"That yellow box bring from the dark corner here,
And, darling, draw close to my old rocking chair."
My low seat I placed very near to her side,
And quietly the box lid was thrown open wide.
"Ah! Nothing but hair," and I looked into her eyes.
Though tear-dimmed and failing, they saw surprise
"No! Nothing but hair," her gentle voice said,
"The hair of loved ones, the loving, the dead."

Then drawing a lock from the thick masses there,
In soft tones she whispered, "My dear Mother's hair,"
Grandmother's mother; with a start I compare
The long wavy tress with her silvery hair.
"Yes, Darling, oh yes; then her brown eye shone bright,
Like swift bounding deer, was her footprint so light,
And her spirit was glad, nor the song of the bird
Was sweeter than whisperings of love that were heard,
When gathered around her, the dear Ones all stood;
In the first gentle bloom of her young womanhood.
"Alas," that all eyes be clouded with sorrow,
0'er each of us hangs some dread fated morrow,
When affection first feels the withering blight
That comes in bereavement's deep, black'ning night.
"And sorrow soon came, 'twas a heart-crushing blow,
The husband, the father, the strong was laid low.
See, this is his hair, this light auburn curl--
One tress from the cold pallid forehead they stole,
My Mother arose from this hard-stunning stroke,
Widowed and stricken and almost heart-broke;
Dread poverty came, but bravely she toiled,
By wealth and by joy and by love, all unspoiled,
But age stealing in, left its withering trace,
On hair and on eye, on step and on face,
The hair grew white and older and thin;
And the light of the dark brown eye grew dim.
See! here is a lock, it can vie with mine,
So silvery white in the glad sunshine."

Grandmother 'gain paused, while her tremulous hands,
Selected a tress from those thick wavy strands.
"This brown hair, my child, once hung o'er the brow,
Of him who received at the altar my vow,

Mrs. E.S.L.J. was
born Feb. 25, 1801,
& died Apr. 7, 1807.

The father, Capt. John
Hart, born Mar. 6, 1758;
died Mar 17, 1814.

The mother, Mary Esther
Screven (Hart), born
Sept. 15, 1767; died
Dec. 27, 1845.

Elizabeth Screven Lee Hart
married, as his third wife,
Capt. Joseph Jones, son of
Major John Jones (1749-1779)
and Mary, daughter of James
and Mary (Newton) Sharpe.
Date of marriage:
Jan. 25, 1820.
THE HOLY BIBLE...Original Tongues...Canne's Marginal Notes & References...Index...
C. Alexander & Co., Philadelphia, 1834 (Stereotype Edition). Bible in possession of Mrs. Gordon A. Pruitt, 5112 Crestway Drive, Austin 3, Texas. Daniel VERSER was the greatgrandfather of Mrs. Pruitt. Dr. Fort P. VERSER was her grandfather. He moved to Prairie Lea, Caldwell Co, Texas, in 1876, where he practiced until his death in 1897. Copied from Family Records pages of the Bible:

BIRTHS

Daniel VERSER
Was born 27 February 1793.

Lautha VERSER
Was born March 30th 1798.

William A. VERSER
Was born January 29, 1819.

John L. VERSER
Was born October 6th 1819.

Margaret E. VERSER
Was born June 6, 1822.

Adaline VERSER
Was born May 3, 1824.

Calvin C. VERSER
Was born March 3, 1826.

Fort P. VERSER
Was born October 17, 1828.

James A. VERSER
Was born January 6, 1831.

Nicholas A. VERSER
Was born May 17th 1833.

Lucie A. VERSER
Was born September 21st 1835.

Elizabeth C. VERSER
Was born February 20th 1838.

Daniel J. VERSER
Was born December 28, 1840.

DEATHS

Nicholas A. VERSER
Died July 3rd 1852
He was 19 yr 1 m 19 D.

James A. VERSER
Died Sept 19th 1856
He was 25 yr 8 m 13 D.

Elizabeth C. MARLEY
Died June 16th 1859.

Daniel J. VERSER
Died April 6th 1862
He was 21 yr 3 m 8 D
Killed in action battle of Shiloh.

Lautha VERSER
Died the 14th of June 1873. She was 75 yr 2 m 14 days old.

Daniel VERSER
Died the 19th of December 1874
He was 81 yr 9 m & 22 d old.

Fort P. VERSER
Died in Oct 1, 1897.

Calvin C. VERSER
Died in Oct 1902.

The above Births are copied in the order recorded from two pages of records. The Deaths are also in the order recorded and from the same two pages of records.
FAMILY BIBLE RECORDS

MARRIAGES

William A. VERSER
Married Miss Jane BROOM
October 12th 1841.

Margaret E. VERSER
Married William H. CLEAVE
March 8th 1843.

John L. VERSER
Married Miss Mary A. C. DICKASON
Nov. 24th 1846.

Adline VERSER
Married James H. BORUM
March 30th 1847.

Lucy A. VERSER
Married John CONNER
December 17, 1856.

Elisabeth C. VERSER
Married Young F. MARLEY
May 20th 1857.

F. P. VERSER
Married Emma P. MURRELL
May 29th 1861.

Calvin C. VERSER
Married Miss Mary E. DAY
Oct 3rd 1867

(above entry dim & was recopied)

Mrs. Pruitt also has photocopies from an 1802 King James Bible printed in Philadelphia. This Bible contains a long printed list of Subscribers' Names, including that of "Hugh Neilson"; it originally belonged to Hugh Douglas NEILSON of Greeneville, Green Co, Tenn. & lists his children. The Bible is now owned by Rear Adm. Francis P. McCormick of Washington, D.C., 2nd greatgrandson of William Douglas NEILSON. Mrs. Pruitt is a 2nd greatgranddaughter of Joseph Hale NEILSON, brother to Wm. Douglas. We would like to publish the data from this Bible at a later date; it has not yet been completely deciphered but contains births as early as 1781 in the NEILSON family.

SURNAMES OF AGS 1962 NEW MEMBERS

Below are listed more surnames for AGS members new in 1962. Each new member was entitled to file 6 surnames in which he or she is most interested. This service is intended to introduce new members' lines to old members and publish some for them during the year before they are eligible to file pedigree charts for our April dictionary of ancestors. We hope some of you can trade with them.

BATTIS, Mrs. J. W., Jr., P. O. Box 507, Bryan, Texas.
ADAMS, OGLESBY, COSTILLOW-COSTELLO.
LIDWIN, Mrs. Virginia P., 307 East Crockett St., Crystal City, Texas.
(No names filed; paid for 1963 also).
LIGHTFOOT, Mrs. Jack, Fairview Drive, Mt. Pleasant, Tennessee.
BOBBITT, DAIMWOOD, FORTUNE, GASKILL, HIGHT, McKNIGHT.
McLAURIN, Mr. Banks, Jr., 5843 Royal Crest, Dallas 30, Texas.
BANKS, HAMILTON, HARDY, McCALL, MORRISON, OSBORN.
PRICE, Mrs. May LaPrelle, 3901 Pete's Path, Austin 3, Texas.
BURNETT, ELLINGTON, LA PRELLE, LYONS, RUCKER, TALBOT.

We welcome old Bible records, cemeteries in this area, etc. for publication here.
In publishing our first queries, AGS announces tentative rules & regulations:

1. We will print FREE queries from members & subscribers only, at present.
2. They will be printed in the order received (if acceptable); only one query to a member in one year, unless no other queries are on file.
3. They need not concern Texas families or locations.
4. Type or print on 8 1/2 x 11 paper (for our files); double-space lines (for legibility & editing); print only one query on a page. Illegible queries will be returned for recopying & lose their place on the waiting-list.
5. File only 50 words; use no abbreviations of words or names. Confusing queries will be returned for explanations. Don't ask too many questions or include a long list of people; you won't get as many answers if you do!
6. Carefully print or type your full name & address underneath your query; these do NOT count in the 50 words allowed.
7. AGS will edit all queries requiring it, using abbreviations usual in this quarterly, cutting out unneeded words or improving form, for your own benefit. If you make entirely clear what you mean, your query will be more successful.
8. Naturally members are expected to answer letters & trade data courteously (unless it is a case of buying information). Remember to use stamped and self-addressed envelopes when requesting information.

Q#1--MAXWELL, STRAIN. Desire information on Robt. A. STRAIN m. Abigail MAXWELL in Washington Co, Ark. He was 32 in 1850 census; moved to Texas (where?) with wife & mother, Mary STRAIN, between 1850 & 1860. Isaac STRAIN (wife Sarah J.) moved from Washington Co, Ark. to Texas (where?) after 1847.
Mrs. Earl A. Strain, 1412 Figaro Avenue, Modesto, California.

Q#2--BEST, LOONEY, REED. Desire information on Martin Van Buren LOONEY, born ca 1836, Ala.; to Goliad Co, Tex, 1849; m. 1st, ca 1858, Goliad, Sarah BEST. Two of 3 children lived--Benj. Boatright LOONEY; Maggie (m. Paul REED). Martin m. 2nd & had 3 children. Gave 1880 power of attorney, Bastrop Co, Texas.
Mrs. C. C. Jackson, Sabinal, Texas.

Q#3--SEAL, SEALE, SEALS. Want & will exchange data on SEAL, SEALE, SEALS, etc.--any spelling, any area, any era.
Mrs. H. R. Centry, 3311 Clearview Avenue, Austin 3, Texas.

Q#4--DELONY, DELONEY. Wish to correspond with anyone having data on DELONY-DELONEY. In York Co, Va. prior to 1730's--to Brunswick-Mecklenburg Co, Va. area. Intermarried with BROADWAX, BROOKING, PERSON, TURNER. Some descendents to Georgia about 1810.
Mrs. R. P. Woods, 1201 Arcadia, Austin 5, Texas.

Q#5--SMITH. William SMITH (1759-1829), will dtd 9 Jy 1829, Lynchburg, Tenn, states he'is leaving the SMITH Family Bible to his son William Starke SMITH, a Baptist minister, who moved from Tenn. to Austin in 1850 & died here in 1876. Want to locate this Bible & father William's grave.
Mrs. Ludie J. Camp, 524 West Hopkins Street, San Marcos, Texas.

Q#6--CANNON, EVINS, RICHARDSON, SCOTT. Need parents of Robt. McGaley RICHARDSON, b. 1846 Maury Co, Tenn; m. Eliz. Matilda EVINS, 1870 Maury Co. One source says Vernon Lee RICHARDSON & Mary Lou CANNON. Another names John RICHARDSON & Tennie SCOTT. 1850 Maury census indicates John W. RICHARDSON & Lucy _____. Will exchange RICHARDSON data.
Mrs. C. W. Balch, 5907 Nasco Drive, Austin 5, Texas.
Easton Publishing Co., Inc., Easton, Md., has announced the Nov. publication of JOSEPH NICHOLS & THE NICHOLITES, by Dr. Kenneth L. Carroll (116 pp, $3.75). AGS has a leaflet, listing quite a number of family names to be found in the records in this book. The Society of Nicholites began about 1760 along the Delaware-Maryland border & soon spread into Caroline & Dorchester Counties, Maryland & in Kent & Sussex Counties, Delaware. About 1776, many migrated to set up communities in Guilford Co., N.C., and at "Gum Swamp near Little Pee Dee" in S.C. They were also called "New Quakers;" forty years later, they were absorbed by the Society of Friends quietly. This book has an Appendix of Nicholite birth records, marriages, wills & activities of the members. Some AGS members might do well to investigate their own backgrounds to see if their records might be found here.

According to our understanding of the problem, the United States Post Office will not deliver third class mail which is not addressed to a particular Box number or house number, etc. Will those AGS members who do not have on file with us your complete address please notify the Treasurer or the Editor right away. The Post Office will not use directory service for 3rd class mail incompletely addressed or return it to sender (unless postage is guaranteed); they will throw away or destroy such mail. Our meeting notices & your quarterly go 3rd class, so do not neglect to give us your correct address for next year.

We understand also that a large number of Austin telephone numbers have been recently changed. When you mail in your 1963 dues, you might provide your new phone number for the Treasurer--it would take a long time to check the Directory after a new one comes out.

Membership in AGS is by application & is open to any person interested in the aims & purposes of this Society & acceptable to the Membership Committee. Dues are currently $3.00 per year, payable in advance for the calendar year beginning 1 January. Members failing to pay dues by 1 March are dropped from the rolls & will not receive the April quarterly. New members may apply at any time during the year, & dues are applied to the current calendar year, that year's quarterly having been mailed. Applications & dues are mailed to the Treasurer, 2509 Harris Boulevard, Austin 3, Texas; she notified anyone else concerned. Inquiries concerning the Quarterly or material for publication go to the Editor, 6301 Travelwell Blvd, Austin 3, Tex. Exchanges go to Exchange Editor, AGS, 2312 Enfield Rd, Austin 3, Texas. All back issues of the Quarterly are still available. Single back issues are $1.00; 4 issues at once sell for $3.00. April issues are for our dictionary of ancestors; others are source material of the Austin area.